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## THIS AND THAT

### Coming Events.

Valentine Teachers' Association—Nov. 14.  
Crookston Teachers' Association—Nov. 21.  
Thanksgiving—Nov. 26.

When will the suspense end, anyway?

Bob Lucas is down from Gordon, today.

Ira Richardson is up from Giliaspie precinct.

E. McDonald is down, from Crookston, today.

P. Sullivan is in from Cody getting election news.

Enoch Flowers came home from Rosebud to vote.

Jesse Leanaugh came down from Chadron this morning.

J. W. Burleigh, of Simeon, was in town a few days this week.

Horace Speere came down from Lavaca with election returns.

Lots of fun was occasioned Tuesday when Sitzer swore in his vote.

C. R. Glover and wife returned from Omaha Sunday night, after a pleasant visit.

Prof. H. Johnson, of Cody, was a very pleasant caller at headquarters yesterday.

Dr. McConville and wife, of Rosebud, came over from the agency last evening.

Mark Zarr came down from Rosebud Agency Monday and returned Wednesday.

The Mystic Six seem to be concocting some sort of mischief for the near future.

We are informed that John Grange is seriously ill of typhoid fever at Kennedy.

Miss Edith Stark, who is teaching at Harmony, visited in town a few days this week.

Charlie White is laid up with a lame foot, the same having been crushed by a hay baler.

Dan Handy, Jim Hull, Cole Ainsley and Dave George came down from the Brick Yard to vote.

Mrs. Ludwig returned home Tuesday from the south part of the county where she has been visiting.

The vote of C. D. Deese, cattle solicitor, was challenged by M. Christensen Tuesday, but was sworn in.

The largest and best line of cloaks and capes ever shown in Valentine will be found at T. C. Hornby's. 36

Charlie Bullis is tending bar for Frank Fischer. He will prove a valuable assistant to the latter gentleman.

All the flags in town were hung to the breeze Tuesday showing the patriotic spirit of the citizens of the town.

The storm of last week was a "corker" to use a slang expression, and roads were badly blocked for a day or two.

Charlie Watson returned from his hunting trip in the sand hills last Tuesday morning to use his rights at the polls.

W. T. Bullis came down from the reservation to vote last Tuesday. He expects to remain at home the rest of the winter.

D. Stinard seems to be doing a big business in the clothing line, and from the looks of his store one would think he needed more room.

The quarantine was raised from the Flowers residence last Sunday, the physicians deciding that the disease was no longer contagious.

W. E. Waite and Thomas Fitzhenry came up from Kennedy Tuesday afternoon to get news from the election, and returned this morning.

Miss Helen Sparks returned to her home in Chicago yesterday morning after a very pleasant visit of a few weeks here with friends and relatives.

An elocutionary entertainment for the benefit of the school library will be given by Mrs. R. H. Watson assisted by Mrs. A. B. Carroll, and Misses MacDonald and Davenport, Friday evening, November 13, at the Methodist church. Entire proceeds to be applied on library fund.

## OUR SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

MAE DAVENPORT } Editors  
EDNA MACDONALD }

School is now dismissed at 4.

The coldest days of the past week gymnastics were engaged in instead of the customary recess in all the rooms.

Remember snowballing is not allowed on the school grounds.

Election returns are as anxiously awaited by our school children as by older persons.

Miss Edith M. Stark visited the High School Monday.

Elmer Bristol was a visitor at the High School Monday afternoon.

### Dry Creek.

No school in this district Thursday on account of the storm.

Mr. Lovell Starr, of Connelly flats, was a visitor at Mr. Dunn's this week, a few days.

Lee Miller instead of returning to Iowa has taken a contract of extracting logs from the bluffs on the agency and will prolong his stay indefinitely, ask a certain young lady what made him change his mind so suddenly.

Dewey Kellogg has moved his family on the Hily Cole place where they will reside until spring.

Mr. Hahn came out from Valentine and attended to his threshing last week.

Arthur Graeff and John Ryshon returned from the hay flats Monday.

Messrs Burt Jones and Lee Miller and Misses Donna Miller and Netta Dunn attended church at Crookston last Sunday but strange to relate when they returned they didn't know the text.

The political speakers at Harmony school house Tuesday night were full—but it wasn't of politics.

Mr. Smith visited his farm Monday.

Dry Creek school has twenty-one scholars enrolled now.

Dry Creek men folks are busily engaged getting out wood at present.

VIOLA.

### Wood Lake No. 2

Well Kelly, Auntie is getting along fine couldn't ask for better health.

W. V. Johnson and wife were taking in the sights of the city today.

Mr. Hall Bakewell cast his first vote today. We hope that Hall will make his vote count.

Chas. Murphy took in the sights at Ainsworth last Saturday evening also attended an entertainment. Pat, why didn't you take your best girl?

Miss Mamie Stevenson is no longer working for Mrs. Johnson.

Miss Sadie Dewey went to the country last Wednesday to attend the wedding at Mr. Butler's place returned home Sunday evening. But we learn she failed to attend the wedding.

Mr. Cunningham has moved down in the south part of town, no wonder Ed. is so happy.

Mrs. Swan is on the sick sick list this week.

School closed to day on account of election.

KELLY'S AUNT.

J. A. Hootan and family, of Fort Meade, S. D., but formerly of Butte, this state, arrived in town Monday, and are now domiciled in D. S. Ludwig's house on Cherry street. Mr. Hootan has the contract for hauling the 2000 cords of wood to be put in at Fort Niobrara by Adams this winter, and will employ five or six men.

The Springfield Herald got out a great paper last week—great from a republican stand point. Not a single item of home news, and not a thought of the editor appeared therein. Two supplements were also enclosed, and the whole was edited by the republican state central committee.

Mrs. Lewis Archer, of Kewanee, died Tuesday of cancer, and is to be buried at Kewanee today. This lady was the wife of Capt. Archer, who is one of the old soldiers of the Civil War.

## THE VOTE OF CHERRY COUNTY

### NAMES OF CANDIDATES.

PRECINCT.	Bryan D.	McKinley R.	Holcomb D.	MacColl R.	Green D.	Cady R.	Mutz R.	Billings R.	Horton R.	Thurston D.	Walcott R.	Fort Collins House	Against All House
Buffalo Lake	21	30	23	17	17	21	14	21	16	11	20	1	34
Boiling Springs	27	29	38	25	38	26	25	28	33	24	33	4	44
Cleveland	21	9	25	7	23	9	18	9	17	8	24	6	11
Dewey Lake	23	17	23	18	20	16	20	15	20	15	28	1	24
Enlow	17	27	18	26	15	23	15	24	16	23	15	1	15
Ell	29	14	29	15	29	15	21	14	23	12	21	2	15
Giliaspie	10	8	12	7	12	8	12	8	11	10	10	9	6
German	21	9	19	9	19	9	13	9	18	9	17	13	9
Georgia	24	26	22	21	27	27	24	27	23	25	30	3	33
Irwin	20	1	19	2	20	15	17	12	21	2	21	4	19
Kewanee	25	15	23	14	25	15	22	12	23	13	22	16	15
Kennedy	30	20	40	19	38	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Loup	48	25	51	23	51	22	42	23	43	...	...	...	...
Lavaca	18	64	20	57	21	58	17	60	12	38	19	38	35
Merriman	29	32	28	17	28	19	24	21	24	20	24	2	15
Minnehadusa	18	2	19	2	16	2	15	2	19	2	19	2	19
Pleasant Hill	16	12	13	12	18	13	18	15	14	13	18	12	17
Sparks	28	27	26	28	26	27	23	28	25	23	24	28	21
Sharp's Ranch	13	15	11	13	11	15	11	15	10	14	9	17	24
Steen	18	14	17	14	18	12	18	12	18	10	17	15	17
Schlager	21	19	21	19	22	18	18	19	21	15	17	18	19
Table	87	109	92	104	87	112	82	110	91	57	80	116	109
Valentine	21	19	21	19	22	18	18	19	21	15	17	18	19
Wood Lake	53	43	63	42	58	49	58	39	52	45	57	45	59

The vote on commissioner from Second district is as follows:

	Parker P.	Henna R.
Buffalo Lake	17	19
Cleveland	21	7
Dewey Lake	15	26
Kennedy	20	29
Loup	...	...
Merriman	...	...
Minnehadusa	16	15
Pleasant Hill	22	9
Sharp's Ranch	8	14
Steen	...	...
Wood Lake	55	50

# Hurrah for Wm. McKinley.

And then hurrah for the entire Democratic state ticket, and wind up with three cheers for our Co. Attorney  
**D. H. THURSTON**

### Local Election News.

The vote of Valentine precinct was as follows; the democrats and populists being named first:—President—Bryan 87, McKinley 109, Palmer 9; Governor—Holcomb 92, MacColl 104; Lieutenant Governor—Harris 80, Tefft 101; Secretary of State—Porter 87, Piper 104; Auditor of Public Accounts—Cornell 85, Wedlund 100; Superintendent—Jackson 87, Corbett 92, Glover 20; Attorney General—Smyth 91, Churchill 100; Commissioner of Lands and Buildings—Wolfe 91, Russell 102; Regent of University—Rawlings 89, Whitmore 97; Supreme Judges—Kirkpatrick 82, Neville 83, Kinkaid 109, Ryan 98; Congressman—Greene 87, Cady 112; State Senator—Mutz 82, Ely 110; Representative—Billings 91, Horton 97; County Attorney—Thurston 86, Walcott 116; For Court House Bonds 140, against 6.

The democratic-republican precinct vote was elected by the following vote: Assessor—Dunn 103, Callen 76; Constable—Towne 123, Hackler 55; Justice of the Peace—Shaw 100, Bullis 87; O. H. District No. 21—House 125, Lynn 62; Dist. No. 22—Downing 104, Hansel 73. C. H. Thompson, Chas. Maxwell and Henry Razez were elected judges of election, and Robert Good and D. E. Sherman clerks. The constitutional amendments received 129 votes for and 27 votes against.

### In Brown County.

Down in Brown county the democrats and populists have elected their candidate for county attorney, E. Mae Davison, by a majority of seven votes over the republican candidate, P. D. McAndrew, and great it the rejoicing thereat. E. B. Brain is defeated for representative by about 40 votes, and now the Newport Republican can crow over the success of the dirty campaign waged against a gentleman by the true Christian and eloquent preacher, P. H. Eighmy.

Billings for representative is elected over Horton, and Mutz has defeated Ely, although the former ran behind his ticket in almost every precinct in the county.

The election news found on the last page of this paper is made up from the Associated Press reports received up to 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and are authentic. Later reports give McKinley 265 electoral votes with a possibility of increasing the number to 274. Chairman Jones has not yet surrendered to the enemy, but he may as well do so if reports received here are correct.

Mill Sanderson is playing stage driver on the Theford-Kennedy line. August Butt killed a golden eagle a few days ago. It measures six feet nine inches, from tip to tip.—A. W. Trumbull, formerly a resident of this county, but now a Grand Island, and Walter Countryman, of the same place, are in this vicinity hunting.—Brownlee Hornet.

J. W. Spirk, who has for the last five years been bookkeeper at the Minnehadusa Mills, started this morning for Omaha, where he will remain a few days before entering upon his duties in the mill at Pierce. Joe will be sadly missed from among the old time young people of Valentine.

Walter Hare died at Fort Niobrara yesterday and will be buried tomorrow in the old cemetery, at 11 o'clock. The remains will be met by the friends from town as the funeral procession comes from the post. The services will be conducted in the cemetery.

Private Jacob Strine, who was concerned in the shooting affair at Fort Niobrara some time ago, was transferred Tuesday and went to Fort Crook yesterday morning.

### Notice.

The Town Site Company of Georgia, Nebraska, herewith gives notice, that the name of the town will be changed, from Georgia to Ripley.

CHERRY COUNTY LAND COMPANY.

U. S. Land Office at Valentine, Neb., Nov. 4th, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Valentine, Neb., on Dec. 11th, 1896, viz:

John C. Nichols, of Reige, Nebr. H. E. No. 884 for the lots 3, 4 and 6½ sw¼ Sec. 31 Tp. 20 R. 33.

## \$3.000

Worth of

# D-R-Y G-O-O-D-S

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## DIDN'T YOU KNOW

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That the highest price for butter and eggs is always paid at Pettycrews?

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J. H. QUIGLEY, PROP.

DEALER IN

## What we are . . . DRUGS, PAINTS, VARNISHES, TOILET SUPPLIES

Where we are . . . MAIN STREET VALENTINE - NEBRASKA

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